

REMARKS

Claims 9-16 are currently in this application. Claims 9 and 16 have been amended to comply with the embodiment illustrated in the drawings. Claims 15 and 16 have been canceled.

Objection to the Specification

The specification has been objected to as failing to provide proper antecedent basis for the claimed subject matter. By the amendments herein, applicant has duly addressed this objection. Accordingly, the objection to the specification should now be withdrawn.

Objection to the Drawings

The drawings are objected to as not showing every feature of the invention specified in the claims. Transmitted herewith is an amended set of drawings which addresses this objection. Accordingly, the objection to the drawings should now be withdrawn.

Claims Allowances and Claims Rejections

In the office action, the examiner has indicated that claims 9-14 are allowed and claims 15 and 16 are rejected. By the amendments herein, claims 15 and 16 have been canceled. Claims 9 and 12 have been amended to comply with the embodiment illustrated in the drawings, but these amendments are not believed to adversely effect the allowance of these claims.

CONCLUSION

Applicant believes that the claims are in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly requested. If any additional information should be required in considering this Response, or if there are any issues that can be resolved by telephone with the Applicants' representative, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned directly.

No fee is believed due by this Response. However, if any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fees to deposit account No. 19-2090.

Respectfully Submitted,

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